Special Events Committee – Preliminary Approval for 2010 Events

The City of Bellevue Special Events Committee has granted *preliminary* date & location approval for the following 2010 events (as of _/_/10)

Month	Event Name	Date/Time	Description	Location	Contact
April	Earth Day & Arbor Day Events	Saturday April 17, 2010 8:30 am – 2:00 pm	Environmental stewardship projects & Community Celebration	Lewis Creek Park & various locations for projects	Laura Hughes Park Ranger 425.452.7225
April	Little Lake-to-Lake Earth Day Walk	Wednesday April 21, 2010 8:00 am – 4 pm	5K Lake-to-Lake Earth Day Walk	Lake Hills Greenbelt	Debbie Pettersson NW Arts Center 425.452.7106
April	Kelsey Creek "Wild & Wooly" Sheep Shearing	Saturday April 24, 2010 11:00 am – 4:00 pm	Family farm event with emphasis on sheep shearing & fiber crafts	Kelsey Farm Park	Annamarie Solomonson Community Services Supervisor 425.452-7688
April	Bellevue Breakfast Rotary Club 5-K Run/Walk	Sunday April 25, 2010 8:30 am to 12 noon	5-mile run and walkathon to benefit Bellevue charities Partnership with Bellevue Parks	Start/Finish at Crossroads Park	Tim Moriarty, Bellevue Breakfast Rotary 425.765.9919
May	Bellevue CROP Walk	Sunday May 2, 2010 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	3-mile walk - fund raiser for Church World Service (hunger relief)	Start/Finish at Bellevue First Congregational Church	Nancy Bent Bellevue First Congregational Church 425.957.4756
May	Natural Resource Week	Tue/Thur/Fri 5/18 – 5/21/10 8:45 am to 2:00 pm	3-day environmental education	Mercer Slough Nature Park	Laura Hughes Park Ranger 425.452.7225
May	Bellevue Downtown 10K Art & Park Walk	Saturday May 29, 2010 8:00 am – 4:00 pm	10K walk in partnership with Volkswalk group	Round trip from NW Arts Center to Downtown Park	Debbie Pettersson NW Arts Center 425.452.7106

May	Walk On	Saturday May 27, 2010 10 am – 11 am	Neighborhood walk to raise awareness and money for the benefit of families/children affected by homelessness	Crossroads Mall Crossroads Park and surrounding neighborhood	Maggie Brower Bright Horizons Foundation 425.271.6032
June	Flying Wheels Summer Century Ride	Saturday June 12, 2010 11:00 am – 2:00 pm	25-mile bicycle ride	Marymoor Park along Lake Sammamish Parkway	David Douglas Cascade Bicycle Club 206.522.3222
June	Greenway Days	Saturday/Sunday June 19/20, 2010 9:00 am – dusk	Environmental activities throughout Bellevue	Various Bellevue Parks	Debbie Pettersson NW Arts Center 425.452.7106
June	Bellevue 24-Hour FOOD Challenge	Saturday June 19, 2010 10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Food Drive to benefit local food banks	Bellevue Downtown Park	Helena Stephens Recreation Program Manager 425.452.2834
June	LiveSTRONG Challenge Seattle	Sunday June 20, 2010 7:30 am – 5:00 pm	Fund-raiser which includes Bellevue bicycle paths	TBA	Gary Metcalf Cadence Sports/Lance Armstrong Foundation 214.632.0119
June	Eastside Heritage STRAWB-RRY Festival	Saturday/Sunday June 26/27, 2010 10:00 am – 9:00 pm 10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Community festival honoring Bellevue's history	Crossroads Park	Heather Trescases Eastside Heritage Center 425.450.1049
July	Movies-in-the-Park	Tuesdays July – August Dusk – 10:30 pm	Outdoor movies	Downtown Park and South Bellevue Community Center	Brad Bennett Program Manager 425.452.4240
July	Symetra Bellevue Family 4 th Celebration	Sunday July 4, 2010 2:00 pm – 12:00 am	Children's activities, music, food, fireworks in partnership with Bellevue Downtown Association	Bellevue Downtown Park	Cherie Clayton Recreation Program Manager 425.452.7156
July	Live-at-Lunch Concert Series	Tues/Wed/Thur July 7 thru Sept. 16 12:00 noon – 1:30 pm	Free lunchtime outdoor concert series In partnership with Bellevue Parks	Bellevue Galleria and various downtown plazas	Mike Ogliore Bellevue Downtown Assn. 425.452.3110

July	6 th Street Fair	Friday – Sunday July 23-25, 2010 Fri/Sat – 10a/8p Sun – 10a/6p	Arts and crafts fair	Downtown pedestrian corridor, NE 6 th St., 106 th Ave. NE	Mike Ogliore Bellevue Downtown Assn. 425.452.3110
July	Bellevue Arts Museum Arts Fair	Friday – Sunday July 23-25, 2010 Fri/Sat – 9:30a/9:30p Sun – 9:30a/6p	Artist booths, kids fair, food and exhibits	Bellevue Square, Bellevue Arts Museum	? Bellevue Arts Museum 425.519.0743
July	Bellevue Festival of the Arts	Friday – Sunday July 23-25, 2010 Fri/Sat – 10a/8p Sun – 10a/6p	Arts and crafts festival	NE 8 th & Bellevue Way, Cost Plus parking lot	Ann Sutherland Craft Cooperative NW 206.632.0286
July	Seattle Century Bicycle Ride	Saturday July 24, 2010 6:00 am – 6:00 pm	Community bicycle ride benefitting Bike Works of Seattle	Various bike paths throughout Bellevue	Jensi Albright Good Sports Promotion 503.459.4508
August	Taste of Main	Saturday August 21 11:00 am. – 9:00 pm	Outdoor food event including local restaurants as fundraiser for Children's Response Centre	Bellevue Way and 100 th Ave NE	Ahinsa Mansukhani Children's Response Centre 425.999.9162
August	Chris Elliott Fund Summer Ride	Sunday August 22, 2010 9:00 am – 5:00 pm	Community bike ride for the purpose of raising funds to benefit brain cancer research	Lake Sammamish Parkway	Chris Loeliger 425.785.9217
August	Lakemont Loop 10K Walk	? 8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Non-competitive on Bellevue Park trail system	Lake-to-Lake Greenway Trail	Debbie Pettersson NW Arts Center 425.452.7106
September	Lake-to Lake 15K Walk	Saturday September 18, 2010 8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Non-competitive on Bellevue Park trail system Partnership with VolkswalkAssn.	Lake-to-Lake Greenway Trail	Debbie Pettersson NW Arts Center 425.452.7106

September	Seek Justice Challenge	Saturday September 11, 2010 6:30 am – 1:00 pm	Bicycle ride to benefit International Justice Mission	Lake Sammamish Parkway	Ray Dellecker Sammamish Presbyterian Church 425.922.0653
September	Cycle the WAVE	Sunday September 19, 2010 7:00 am – 2:00 pm	Non-competitive all-women's bicycle ride to benefit Eastside Domestic Violence	Bicycle paths within Bellevue	Sharon Anderson Lakemont Ladies Cycling Club 425.603.9503
October	Making Strides Cancer Walk	Sunday October 3, 2010 9:00 am – 12 noon	5K Walk to benefit American Cancer Society	Downtown Park	Laura St. Germain American Cancer Society 206.674.4107
October	Bellevue Arthritis Walks	Saturday October 9, 2010 9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Fundraising walk for Arthritis Foundation	City Hall Plaza and Bellfield Nature Park	Julie Gabelein Arthritis Foundation 206.547.2707
October	Kelsey Creek Farm Fair	Saturday/Sunday October 9/10, 2010 11:00 am – 3:00 pm	Family event with emphasis on historical harvest theme	Kelsey Creek Farm	Annamarie Solomonson Community Services Supervisor 425.452-7688
November- December	Bellevue Magic Season	Daily 11/26/10 – 1/16/11 Various hours	Holiday Ice Arena, Design in Lights	Downtown Park and 6 th Street corridor	Mike Ogliore Bellevue Downtown Assn. 425.452.3110
November- December	Garden d'Lights	Daily 11/27/10 – 1/1/11 Various hours	Holiday light display at Botanical Garden	Botanical Garden	Nancy Kartes Botanical Garden Manager 425.452.2749
November- December	Snowflake Lane	Daily 11/26/10 – 12/31/10 7 p.m. nightly	Santa Clause arrives 11/26/10; 15-minute nightly sidewalk holiday shows	Bellevue Way and NE 8 th Street	Jennifer Leavitt Kemper Development 425.460.5994